

# Moline and East Moline

## WALK ENDS IN DEATH OF AGED WOMAN

Mrs. Minnie Larsen Found Dead in Cemetery Pond Shortly After 10 This Morning.

Early this morning Mrs. Minnie Larsen, 7005 Ninth avenue, Moline, 85 years old, wrapped a shawl about her nightgown and took a walk in Riverside cemetery. At 10 o'clock she was found dead in a pond in the south corner of the cemetery.

According to relatives and neighbors, Mrs. Larsen had shown no intention of taking her own life, and it is believed that her death was accidental. The location of the pond is such that anyone might stumble in and drown before help could arrive.

The body was found by Carl B. Rasmussen, 210 Eighteenth avenue, a son-in-law. The Larsen residence is located near the cemetery, and, with other relatives, Mr. Rasmussen was searching for Mrs. Larsen. It is said that Mrs. Larsen, who had been ill for more than a year, was in the habit of leaving her home during the night and taking a walk in the neighborhood.

When other members of the family arose about 7 they missed Mrs. Larsen. They had heard her arise several hours before, but thought she had returned to bed.

Notice was sent to the police of the quad-cities, who were on the lookout for the missing woman. A call was also sent to relatives, who joined the search. The search halted, however, shortly after 10, when the body was found floating near the edge of the cemetery pond.

Mrs. Larsen was born in Denmark. She came to America with her husband Lars Larsen, in 1890, and settled in Moline. Surviving are the widow, one son, Sigurd Larsen, and a daughter, Mrs. A. P. Nelson.

A son and a daughter died in the past year and this is believed to have aggravated Mrs. Larsen's illness.

### Moline Lodges

Members of the entertainment committee of Moline lodge, No. 133, I. O. O. F., and E. A. Fude of the Ramsdell Music company of Moline, are to be guests of honor at an elaborate banquet to be given by the lodge Tuesday night, as a celebration of the success of the entertainment given Tuesday evening.

The lodge voted to show its appreciation to the committee, who worked diligently for the affair and who were greatly assisted by Mr. Fude, who furnished a goodly portion of the entertainment. All members are asked to attend the banquet.

Ed Kittelsen, camp United Spanish War Veterans and its regular session last evening and members were very sorry to hear that the camp commander, H. J. Crowder, is seriously ill at the Lutheran hospital. It was also reported that Emil Freeman, who a few months ago lost one of his thumbs and injured the other in an accident while at work at the East Moline harvester plant, is getting along nicely. Discussion of headstones for all deceased soldiers and plans for a trip to Genesee a few days previous to Memorial day and to hold a joint Memorial day celebration with the Genesee camp, occupied the remainder of the evening.

## DOESN'T NEED ANY LAXATIVES NOW

Mr. Becker says life is a joy, without constipation or stomach trouble.

"I had catarrh of the stomach and head for three years. My stomach was so bad that every time I ate anything sweet, such as fruit or pastry, the burning hot water would run out of my mouth. I took a laxative every night."

"Since taking Mils Emulsion, my bowels move regularly. I have now taken ten bottles and have gained 32½ pounds. All my friends remark how fine I am looking, and it seems a pleasure to live again, without stomach trouble."—Bert Becker, Miami, Ohio.

"Physicians usually make slaves out of their users, and weaken the bowels instead of correcting them. Stomach trouble in many cases is directly due to constipation."

Mils Emulsion is a pleasant, nutritive food and a corrective medicine. It restores healthy, natural bowel action, doing away with all need of pills and physics. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food. As a builder of flesh and strength, Mils Emulsion is strongly recommended to those who are weak and need a powerful aid in restoring and repairing the effects of wasting diseases. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is eaten with a spoon like ice cream. Truly wonderful for weak, sickly children. No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Mils Emulsion under this guarantee—Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly returned. Price 75c and \$1.50 per bottle. The Mils Emulsion Co., Toronto, Canada, Inc. Sold by druggists everywhere.

## VAN LANCKER DIES AS RESULT BURNS

Charles Van Lancker, 505 Eighth avenue, A. Moline, who was taken to the city hospital yesterday after being severely burned at the P. J. Lewis Manufacturing company, when an explosion was caused by which from a still at the plant, died last night.

The injured man lived about ten hours after he was burned. Most of the time he suffered great pain. About 11 yesterday morning his clothing caught fire. He died at 9:25 last night.

Charles Van Lancker was a native of Belgium and was born April 23, 1871. He came to this country in 1894, direct to Moline, where he had since resided. He never married.

Surviving him are five brothers, Phil and Leo of Victor, Iowa, Peter of East Moline, Edward of Moline, and one residing in Belgium.

## MAY ABROGATE THE PAROLE OF MOLINE YOUTH

Edwin Elstrom Gets Drunk and May Be Sent to Pontiac Reformatory School.

Edwin Elstrom, 20 years old, 1728 Seventeenth avenue, Moline, may be sent to the state reformatory at Pontiac, as the result of a bout with illicit whisky. About a year ago Elstrom was found guilty of stealing tires from the Velle plant at Twenty-sixth street. His mother's plea and his own promise to reform earned a parole for him at that time.

Elstrom was arrested Sunday afternoon in Moline on a charge of being drunk. The following day he pleaded guilty and was fined \$3 by Magistrate Gustafson, and returned to jail when the fine was not paid.

Later he was released when the fine was paid. Sheriff Miller heard of the case and asked Moline police to arrest Elstrom as a parole violator. Yesterday afternoon Sergeant Grell found the young man in a pool hall.

Elstrom is now in the county jail. Tomorrow morning he will be arraigned in court to show a good reason why the parole should not be abrogated.

Sunday's offense, according to the authorities, is not the first misstep taken by Elstrom since he was placed on his good behavior.

### Moline Obituary

Atwill Mowry.  
Funeral services for Atwill Mowry, well-known Moline police officer, were held at 2:30 yesterday afternoon in the residence, 1304 Sixth avenue. Rev. A. C. Bailey of the United Presbyterian church, read the services and Harry W. Ramsdell rendered a beautiful vocal selection, accompanied on the piano by Ted Bunting.

T. F. Wharton, L. C. Lewis, E. B. McKee, Tom S. Kearney, P. T. Dwyer and Frank Weisse acted as pallbearers. There were many beautiful floral offerings received, including a large set piece in the shape of a star, having in contrasting colors a large figure in contrast-center, a tribute from the Moline police. There was a large circle of friends present. The body was laid to rest in Riverside mausoleum, beside that of his wife.

### BASKETBALL GAME

The Marcellus basketball team will clash with the Rock Island East Enders on the floor of the East Moline Y gym tonight. This is the first game these two teams have played together, and as the Marcellus claim the amateur championship, and the Rock Island five are a speedy quintet, a fast game is expected.

### HOUSE ROBBED

Carl Zimwilt, 424 Fourth avenue, Moline, notified the police yesterday afternoon that a pair of shoes were taken from his room. A watch and chain owned by Mrs. S. J. Blue and valued at \$100, disappeared from the same house about a month ago.

### ALBERT JOHNSON FINED

Albert Johnson of Cottage Grove, East Moline, was arraigned in the court of Dan Maskell this morning to answer to charges preferred against him by Mrs. Augusta Johnson. Johnson was found guilty of disorderly conduct and fined \$5 and costs.

## MARKET BUREAU REPORTS FIRM

Washington, March 24.—Investigation of the business practices of the Samuel Hastings company of Cairo, Ill., by the federal bureau of markets has disclosed 11 violations of section 5 of the grain standard act, the department of agriculture today announced. In three cases it was found that the licensed inspector's certificates forwarded to the consignees had been altered to show a different grade of oats than that determined by the inspector, and in the remaining eight cases the oats were of lower grade than the quality stipulated in the consignee's invoice.

Publication of the findings is the only penalty provided under the law for violation of section 5.

## QUICK-TRIGGER SPEAKERS WILL MEET IN MOLINE

Extemporaneous Contest Will Be Held in Moline High School This Year.

The Moline high school is the place set for the annual contest of extemporaneous speakers from nine big eight high schools to gather at the Moline school on May 6.

This year's contest will mark the second time that the affair has been held in the Moline auditorium. The event was held there in 1916, the second year of the event, and Leslie Maxson, '15, a Moline representative, took first place. Followers of high school oral artists are hoping for a repetition this year.

The contest to determine the local representative will be held April 23. Ten high school students are taking the work under the instruction of Miss Grace Wood, and an excellent local contest is anticipated by the high school authorities.

According to the rules of the contest, the entrants draw for a subject an hour before the speaking begins. They have this hour in which to prepare their talk, but they are not allowed to use notes. Each speaker is allowed five minutes for the presentation of the subject drawn.

### Chicago Produce

March 24, 1921.		
BUTTER—		
Creamery extras	44½	@
Standards	41½	@
First	37	@43
Seconds	30	@35
EGGS—		
Ordinary	20	@21
First	24	@
CHEESE—		
Twins	24½	@
Young Americas	35	@
LIVE POULTRY—		
Fowls	33	@
Ducks	36	@
Geese	16	@18
Springs	34	@
Turkeys	40	@
Roosters	32	@
POTATOES—		
Receipts	40 cars	
Wisconsin-Minnesota	100	@115
Early Ohio, sacked	100	@125

### Chicago Futures

March 24, 1921.		
Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close.		
March	1.53	1.53 1.53
May	1.39 1.41	1.39 1.41
Corn—		
May	.63 1.64	.64 1.64
July	.66 1.67	.66 1.67
Oats—		
May	.40 1.40	.39 1.40
July	.41 1.42	.41 1.41
May	.20 1.20	.20 1.20
Lard—		
May	11.62 11.65	11.57 11.60
July	12.10 12.10	11.92 11.95
Ribs—		
May	11.17 11.25	11.17 11.25
July	11.55 11.60	11.50 11.60

### Chicago Potatoes

Chicago, March 24.—Potatoes: dull; Northern Whites, sacked and bulk, \$1.00@1.15 per cwt.; Minnesota and South Dakota Early Ohio \$1.25 per cwt.

### Kansas City Livestock

Kansas City, Mo., March 24.—Cattle, receipts 6,800; beef steers mostly 15c to 25c lower; heavy, dull, 25c to 40c lower, top 9.75; fat sheeps, slow, generally 25c lower; canners and bulk, 10c lower; fully 50c lower, practical top 9.00, few heads to outsiders 10.00; stockers and feeders dull, steady to lower.

Hogs, receipts 6,000, uneven, 10c to 25c higher than yesterday's average; spots up more; best lights to crack up 10.40; bulk 9.25@10.25; pigs steady.

Sheep, receipts 4,500; lambs slow, about steady; 78 pound lambs 10.00.

### Chicago Livestock

Chicago, March 24.—Cattle: receipts 8,000; market dull on all grades and classes; few early sales steady; quality plain; bulk beef steers \$8.50@9.50; bulk fat cows and heifers, \$5.75@7.75; canners and cutters mostly \$3.00@4.50; bulk bulls \$5.25@6.25; bulk veal calves, \$8.50@9.50; stocker and feeder steers \$7.50@8.50.

Hogs: receipts 20,000; slow; largely 15c to 35c higher than yesterday's average; heavy up least; top \$11.10 (early); bulk 200 pounds down, \$10.65@11.00; bulk 220 pounds up, \$9.25@10.50; pigs 35c to 50c higher; bulk desirable, 90 to 120 pound pigs, \$10.75@11.00.

Sheep: receipts 10,000; generally weak to 25c lower; lamb top (early) \$10.75 to city butchers; bulk fat woolen lambs (early) \$9.75@10.50; bulk fat ewes \$9.00@9.75.

### Kansas City Cash Grain

Kansas City, Mo., March 24.—Cash wheat: 1c to 3c lower; No. 1 hard, 1.49@1.53; No. 2, 1.48@1.52; No. 1 red, 1.49; No. 2, 1.48.

Corn: unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 54½c; No. 3, 53½c; No. 2 white, 54½c; No. 3, 53½c; No. 2 yellow, 54½c; No. 3, 53½c; No. 2 white, 54½c; No. 3, 53½c.

### New York Sugar

New York, March 24.—Raw sugar: unchanged. Refined: unchanged.

## GERMAN RIOTS CAUSES WHEAT PRICE TO FALL

Chicago, March 24.—Downturns in the price of wheat took place today, influenced more or less by revolutionary outbreaks in Germany. Wheat reductions in the United States were also given a bearish construction. Commission house buying, however, developed on the decline in values, and led to rallies. Opening quotations, which ranged from 4½c to 2c lower, with March \$1.50 and May \$1.59½ to \$1.40½, were followed by a recovery in some cases to the same as yesterday's finish.

Signs of brisk export demand counted subsequently as a bullish factor, and with persistent buying led to a material advance, but best prices failed to hold. The close was unsettled, 4½c to 2½c net higher with March 1.53 and May 1.41½ to 1.42.

Corn was easier with wheat, May touching the lowest price yet this season. After opening unchanged to ½c off, including May at 53½c to 64c, the market underwent a moderate general sag, and then recovered somewhat.

Gains were scored later when wheat turned strong. The close was steady, 4½c to ½c net higher, with May 64½c.

Oats paralleled the action of other grain, starting 4½c lower to 4½c@½c up. May 40½c to 40½c, and then declined a little all around before beginning to react.

Provisions shared in the weakness of other commodities.

## MANY SLAIN BY RIOTERS

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dustrial regions are actually in the hands of the insurgents, according to an Exchange Telegraph company dispatch from Amsterdam, which quotes telephonic reports from Berlin.

Reports from Saxony are that more buildings have been damaged by dynamite and various towns and that at Mannheim prisoners have been opened and the inmates liberated.

Anarchy is declared to reign at Hestadt, where all banks have been raided and from which the population is reported fleeing in a panic.

Score Killed.

Berlin, March 24.—Great property damage and the loss of upwards of a score of lives marked Communist disorders in various cities and towns in Prussian Saxony and in Hamburg yesterday.

The trouble in Prussian Saxony seemed to center about the Mansfield district, and it appears that those leading the movement focussed their attention on banks and public buildings, many of these edifices being badly shattered or completely wrecked by explosives.

Stories of violence, robbery and virtual anarchy continued to arrive from this region. Town halls at Plauen and Rodevich were destroyed and county buildings at Leipzig and Freiberg were damaged, one person being injured at Freiberg.

The county court building in Dresden was badly damaged by an explosion and three persons were injured. A similar attempt against the town hall at Auerbach was frustrated by the police catching a man carrying a bag of dynamite.

Attack Banks.

A party of armed men, riding in a motor loop, attacked two banks in Mansfield yesterday morning and succeeded in securing about 200,000 marks from the institution. The savings banks at Heilbra was also robbed during the day, and strikers in that town compelled the Heilbra Anziger to suspend publication.

### Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, March 24.—Wheat: No. 1 red, 1.58½; No. 2, 1.57½@1.59; No. 1 hard, 1.56@1.57; No. 1 mixed, 1.56; No. 2, 1.53½.

Corn: No. 2 mixed, 61½@61½; No. 3, 57½@58½; No. 4, 55½@56½; No. 5, 53½@54½; No. 2 yellow, 60½@61½; No. 4, 56½@57½; No. 5, 53½@54½; No. 3 white, 58½@59½; No. 4, 56½@57½; No. 5 white, 55c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 40½@41½; No. 3, 39½@40½; No. 4, 37@38c.

Rye: No. 2, 1.44½.

Barley: 62@76c.

Timothy seed: 4.00@5.50.

Clover seed: 13.00@13.00.

Pork: nominal.

Lard: 11.30.

Ribs: 10.75@11.75.

### St. Louis Cash Grain

St. Louis, Mo., March 24.—Cash wheat: No. 1 red winter, \$1.55@1.57; No. 2, \$1.54@1.56.

Corn: No. 2 white, 62½c; No. 3, 60c.

Oats: No. 2 white, 41½c; No. 3, 41c.

### Liberty Bonds

New York, March 24.—Prices of Liberty bonds at noon today were: 3½s, 90.48; first 4s, 87.18; second 4s, 86.90; first 4½s, 87.35; second 4½s, 87.04; third 4½s, 80.20; fourth 4½s, 87.16; Victory 3½s, 97.40; Victory 4½s, 97.40.

### Horses and Mules

East St. Louis, March 24.—Horses and mules, unchanged.

### Silver

New York, March 24.—Bar silver: domestic, 39½; foreign, 37½; Mexican dollars, 43½.

### Pooria Grain

Peoria, Ill., March 24.—Corn: receipts 10 cars; unchanged; No. 2 yellow, 59½@60c; No. 4 yellow, 58c.

Oats: receipts 3 cars; market 4½c to 5c lower; No. 2 white, 41c.

## STOCK MARKET TAKES DECLINE THIS MORNING

New York, March 24.—The early reaction on the stock exchange today, which was partly attributed to further realizing sales, caused additional declines among oils, motors, independent steels, tobacco and chemicals. These ranged from 1 to 2 points, while Sears-Roebuck added a large fraction to its previous loss. Ralls made moderate concessions on light offerings.

From the lower levels there were rallies under lead of Houston Oil, Atlantic Coast, American Woolen and some of the food shares, but the movement had none of the vigor of the previous day. Call money opened at 6½ per cent and exchange on London approximated its highest quotation in many weeks, with demand Sterling at \$3.91½.

American Beet Sugar 43½  
American Can 30½  
American Car & Foundry 123½  
American Locomotive 87  
American Smelting & Refining 38½  
American Sumatra Tobacco 90  
American T. & T. 100  
Anaconda Copper 37  
Atchafalpa 80½  
Baldwin Locomotive 88½  
Baltimore & Ohio 33  
Bethlehem Steel "B" 58½  
Central Leather 41  
Chesapeake & Ohio Canal 59½  
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 25½  
Coca-Cola 75½  
Crucible Steel 90  
General Motors (new) 14½  
Great Northern Ore Crs. 31½  
Goodrich Co. 38½  
Int. Mer. Marine prfd. 52½  
International Paper 58½  
Kennebec Copper 18  
Mexican Petroleum 18½  
New York Central 70  
Norfolk & Western 96  
Northern Pacific 79½  
Pure Oil Co. 33½  
Pennsylvania 35½  
Reading 68½  
Republic Iron & Steel 68½  
Standard Oil Co. 23½  
Southern Pacific 74½  
Southern Railway 70½  
Studebaker Corporation 77½  
Texas Co. (new) 42½  
Tobacco Products 46½  
United States Rubber 72½  
United States Steel 82½  
Utah Copper 48½  
Washington Electric 48½  
Wills Overland 80½  
Willis Central 85½  
C. R. L. & P. 26  
Standard Oil prfd. 107½

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